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The Honorable Pryor Gibson, Co-Chair Environment Review Commission Room 419A, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603

The Honorable Pricey Harrison, Co-Chair Environment Review Commission Room 2119, Legislative Building Raleigh, NC 27601 The Honorable Bob Atwater, Co-Chair Environment Review Commission Room 312, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603

The Honorable Senator Daniel Clodfelter, Co-Chair Environment Review Commission Room 408, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603

Dear Representatives Gibson and Harrison, Senators Atwater and Clodfelter::

Session Law 2010-31, Section 13.2. requires the Division of Environmental Health of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources and the Division of Public Health of the Department of Health and Human Services to jointly study the desirability and feasibility of merging these two divisions. Phase One of this study (Section 13.2. (a)) requires the Division of Environmental Health and the Division of Public Health to accumulate a variety of programmatic and fiscal information and submit it by October 1, 2010 to the Fiscal Research Division and to the Environmental Review Commission. The required information for the Division of Public Health and the Division of Environmental Health is contained in the attached report.

Sincerely,

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Attachment

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